

POISON RESIDUES

Canners have an improved means of detecting poison residues in food, due to improvement in a purification process developed by William Hoskins, W. R. Erwin, and Dora Schiller, of the University of California, Berkeley.

A USELESS life is only an early death.—Goethe.

Hill Renamed Budget Head

Fred W. Hill was re-named chairman of the Chamber's budget committee and R. S. Pyle named co-chairman by John A. Ebbinghouse, Chamber president this week. Henry W. Creeger was re-appointed chairman of the industrial development committee of the Chamber and the following named members of it: John Spalding, C. C. Morgan, Reed Parking, Dean L. Sears, King Williams, Robert I. Plomert, Jr., K. L. Anderson.

Members of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors will be asked to select a member of their organization to serve on the industrial committee.

DECISION ON DUMP PUT OFF

Los Angeles Board of Supervisors postponed a decision on a zoning variance which would have allowed creation of a large dump in Rolling Hills.

The action was delayed because two of the five board members had not had time to read the transcript of a hearing conducted by the County Regional Planning Commission.

The variance, sought by the County Sanitation District, was approved two months ago by the commission, but residents of the area appealed the decision to the supervisors.

The sanitation district is in favor of the variance in order to operate a large dump in depressions left by mining for diatomaceous earth. The pits are located along Crenshaw blvd., north of Palos Verdes drive, North.

There are four courses which the board may follow: it may reject the variance, concur with the commission's decision, set a hearing before the board, or refer it back to the commission for additional hearings.

SELF-LOVE is not so vile a sin as self-neglecting.—Shakespeare.

Chamber To Seek Citizen Of The Year

Nominations for the 1955 "Citizen of the Year" are now being received by the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, President John A. Ebbinghouse announced this week.

Nominations are made by individuals writing a letter to: Citizen of the Year Committee, P. O. Box 236, Torrance, California, giving reasons for believing that the person so nominated should be named for this honor.

The person picked by the committee and the board of directors of the Chamber will receive the William Laughon-Grover C. Whyte Memorial Trophy at the annual banquet of the Chamber on Tuesday night, February 28.

The committee that will screen nominations and pass on two of them to the Chamber board for final selection will be composed of past recipients of the award, Mervin M. Schwab for 1953 and Paul D. Loranger, 1954 together with Mrs. William Laughon and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte, and Donald Armstrong, attorney.

CRIMES DECLINE

With an estimated five per cent increase in major offenses committed last year, the Na-

tional Automobile club reports that criminal homicides and automobile thefts were the only serious crimes to record a decrease.

THE DENTIST SAYS:

ERNEST J. TARR, D.D.S.

PROPER TOOTH CARE FOR GOOD HEALTH

QUESTION:

"What is the best way for me to take care of my teeth now that I have them all fixed up?" asks a young Torrance housewife.

ANSWER:

Home care of the teeth has two objectives: (1) cleansing of the teeth; (2) massaging of the gums. The latter is more important than many people realize.

Beautiful and sound teeth are dependent upon firm and healthy gums: Your daily massages can help improve local blood circulation, thereby increasing resistance to gum disease such as gingivitis, pyorrhea, and trench mouth. Normal gums should be pale pink; if they are deep red, bluish red or bleeding, chances are that gums and teeth are not receiving a sufficient blood supply.

Only with correct brushing technique can you take care of both objectives at the same time.

Since preservation of teeth is my main concern, I give full instructions to my patients on the proper tooth-brushing technique, demonstrating on them with the proper type brush.

If you have any questions concerning dental problems, you want answered in this column, write to:

DR. TARR

1311 1/2 SARTORI AVENUE (Above Sam Levy Dept. Store) PHONE FAIRfax 8-0250

COMFORT



"THE CHALLENGER"

Domeliner

Sleep-easy Coach seats with full length leg rests for head-to-toe relaxation! Coach fare, Los Angeles to Chicago, only \$55.44 plus tax. Popular Challenger economy meals. Astra-Dome Coach. The Travel-WISE economize with Family Plan Fares.

SELF-LOVE is not so vile a sin as self-neglecting.—Shakespeare.

HELD OVER by popular demand!

...for a limited time only!

FREE GIFTS

START SAVING TODAY!

- All accounts insured to \$10,000.00
- Our 36th year of uninterrupted interest payments!
- Resources over \$88,000,000.00
- Friendly service with safety since 1920!

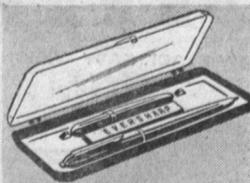
Join in the exciting

GIFT-O-RAMA...OPEN YOUR ACCOUNT TODAY!



FREE...when opening an account of \$50 or more or adding \$50 or more to an existing account!

The Eversharp "floating point" pen, the most famous in America. First in styling, perfection in performance, the Eversharp comes complete with new double-size Kimberly cartridge. Ink is non-smudge, non-transferable. Truly, the royalty of ball-point pens.



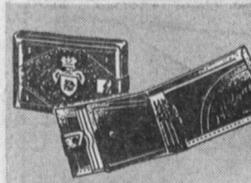
FREE...when opening an account of \$250 or more or adding \$250 or more to an existing account!

Exquisite Eversharp "His and Hers" pen set in beautiful jewel-tone colors. The superb styling, golden accents and exclusive "floating point" make these America's most wanted writing companions. Yours in a handsome unbreakable carrying case.



FREE...when opening an account of \$500 or more or adding \$500 or more to an existing account!

A gorgeous 8-piece salad set. Big beautiful gold-flecked mixing bowl, six smart servers, spoon and fork, all in matching color. Practically indestructible; the very latest in home-makers fashions. Featured in leading national magazines.



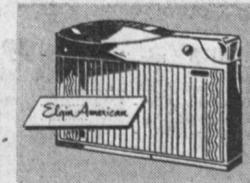
FREE...when opening an account of \$1000 or more or adding \$1000 or more to an existing account!

Beautiful Craftsman men's or women's genuine leather wallets with double stitched coin purse and transparent plastic holders for eight pictures. Nationally known...Craftsman are truly wallets of distinction...expertly tooled and compactly styled!



FREE...when opening an account of \$5000 or more or adding \$5000 or more to an existing account!

An elegant new General Electric alarm clock...the most famous name in clocks! Compactness combined with magnificent styling makes it a functionally beautiful accessory for every room in your home. High style ivory colored case...famous General Electric performance!



FREE...when opening an account of \$10,000 or more or adding \$10,000 to an existing account!

This finely crafted Elgin American Featherlite lighter is a triumph of research and design. Hermetically sealed to prevent fuel evaporation the Elgin American Featherlite is indeed tomorrow's lighter today! Beautifully styled for women or men.

Limit! One premium to a customer!

All accounts earn **3 1/2%** current annual rate

Paid **4** TIMES A YEAR on Full Paid Certificates

FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN SAFETY OF YOUR SAVINGS **INSURED** UP TO \$10,000 INSURANCE CORPORATION



American Savings & LOAN ASSOCIATION

REDONDO BEACH 205 South Pacific Avenue, FRontier 9-5444

MANHATTAN BEACH 1130 Manhattan Avenue, FRontier 9-8451

MEMBER FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK

Serving three generations of the American family!

Other Offices in Whittier, Friendly Hills, Temple City, Puente and Montrose All Offices Open Friday Nights Until 6 P.M.